

## THE PRE-REQUISITE FOR STATEHOOD.

Nevada is taking steps to provide itself with some constables. On assuming the dignity of statehood a territory ought to consider the fact that it is necessary to enforce the laws.

Very true; and its willingness and ability to enact and carry into execution whole-some laws should be a pre-requisite—amply demonstrated—to admission among the galaxy of stars. It is evident that Nevada's laws were not framed with a view to meet possible exigencies, such as now confront the people and call for special legislation to quell riotous miners, whose depredations consisted of fond anticipations most cunningly planned by the governor of the "Sagebrush State."

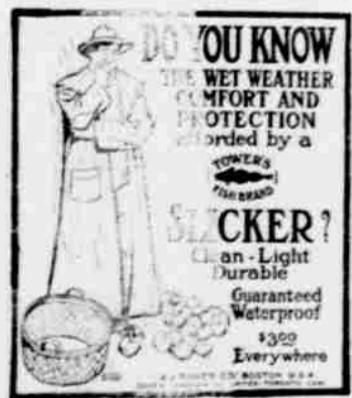
That Nevada was eligible to Statehood was conceded by the United States Congress when her citizenship—real and imaginary—amounted to not nearly half the present population of Arizona. Notwithstanding the fact that our Statutes protect life and property, obviating the necessity for Federal troops, the Republican party does not deem us sufficiently advanced to become clothed in the habiliments of Statehood.

Arizona is populated with an independent, self-reliant class of men who are capable of thinking for themselves, and because they dare to think, and act according to their convictions, politicians refuse to grant the boon so deservedly due. But however desirous Arizona may be of entering the Union, conscientious men will refuse to be whipped into the ranks of a party which would coerce and intimidate the unsophisticated voter into perpetuating those now in power at Washington. While we maintain Democratic principles, so too will we continue to improve our commercial greatness, our social superiority, and when we shall have grown aged while building up an empire—the envy of more lawless nations, politically—we will be happy in the consolation that we were not driven to turn our coats.

## Cochise County

### Selling Hides

Board of Supervisors today making a shipment of wild cat hides to El Paso. The shipment consists of about 1000 hides, which is the largest quantity of hides ever shipped from the county. The county will receive \$1.00 per hide, which has cost the board \$0.50 each for the hides and \$0.50 each for the wild cats. There are a number of hunters in the county who are now trapping these animals and turning the bounty from the county.



## Doings in the District Court

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3

The United States grand jury reconvened this afternoon and will be in session for several days. The members composing that body are:

S. M. Bailey, E. K. Cummings, Wm. Ohnesorg, J. R. Shay, C. B. Bell, G. E. Buxton, A. W. Howe, Chas. E. Perkins, F. C. Broddas, F. M. Van Mowrick, H. G. Glor, Emil Marks, John Rock, Roy R. Radford, Z. T. Phillips, S. P. Gallen, J. D. Machomich, N. J. Reilly, J. O. Martin, J. M. Cooby.

There was some talk that an investigation is to be made of some of the land entries in the San Pedro Valley as well as some of the mining patents secured in the Warren district. The latter report evidently was started on account of the presence in that district last week of Fred C. Dezenford, special agent of the land department, who has been disclosing frauds in New Mexico for the past year.

Several violations of the Edmunds Act are to be investigated, and the case against the Duquesne Mining Co. on the charge of importing 28 Mexicans from Sonora to work in its mines, will come before that body.

Both the district and United States courts were opened for business this morning.

In the case of the United States vs. W. R. Hutchinson, indicted on a charge of smuggling, alleged to have occurred at Naco, a plea of not guilty was entered and defendant placed under \$1,000 bond.

United States vs. Yee Hay, a Chinaman, who was ordered deported at the last session of the court, a stay of 30 days was given the defendant in order to produce some additional testimony, and the same was ordered entered in the case of Charles Long.

In the district court an action for divorce between T. Childress of Douglas vs. E. Childress, colored, was continued for further testimony.

A number of other divorce cases have been scheduled to come up before the court during the present week, as it will be the last chance until the first Monday in April.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4

Both the U. S. and District courts will stand at a recess this evening until Saturday at which time Judge Dean will hold a session of the district court in order to try a few short civil cases that have been set for that date and will then adjourn until the 17th.

An order was made referring to the referee in bankruptcy the case of Jos. Brown of Bisbee, who was declared a bankrupt a few days since.

The U. S. grand jury completed its labors for the present this morning, when they returned two indictments, one against the alleged revolutionists, Magon, Villaral and Sarabia. This makes the second indictment found against them. The other indictment was a joint one found against W. W. Lents and Martha Finn, both of Lowell, who were indicted for violation of the Edmunds Act. They were arraigned and placed under bonds, the former under \$1000 and the latter under \$500, which, it is understood, will be furnished.

The grand jury was excused until Monday, the 17th inst., at which time it will take up matters that the U. S. attorney was unable to present at the present. Just what this includes has as yet not been made public.

## He Will Not

### Stay Away

Sabin Cortez, a Mexican youth, evidently likes the treatment he receives at the hands of the jail officials here. He has been arrested no less than four times on charges of larceny, and on each occasion has been turned over to the U. S. officials, who have taken him to Naco and deported him to Mexico. Owing to his youth he escaped a sentence to Yuma, and as he is an alien is not a subject for the reform school. A charge of petty larceny, committed at Naco, now appears against him.

Two women were found frozen to death in a New York tenement house. They were poverty stricken.

## Water Galore At Roosevelt Dam

The Phoenix Democrat says:

At 1 o'clock this afternoon 3,000,000 miners' inches of water was passing over the Tonto dam at Roosevelt. Fifty feet of the diversion dam at the head of the Arizona canal had been washed away, the joint head near Tempe was partially washed out, and the indications were that the crest of the flood would pass Phoenix some time tomorrow morning.

After two days' heavy downpour in the Salt river water shed the river began to rise at Roosevelt last night, and early this morning there were about 2,800,000 inches of water sweeping over the dam. By noon this had increased to 3,000,000, and this afternoon is receding.

An early report from the Arizona canal dam was that 200 feet of the rock work had been swept away.

## The Sasco Smelter Now in Operation

The new smelting plant of the Southern Arizona Smelting Company, at Sasco, about 35 miles west of Tucson, on the Southern Pacific railroad, was blown in Saturday evening and is running satisfactorily to the management. It is a thoroughly equipped plant, having at present a daily capacity of 350 tons, but another of equal size is already ordered and will be added very soon. The smelter was built primarily for the reduction of the ores of the Imperial mine, twelve miles south of the smelter, but later will handle custom ores, and may treat the ores from the Tombstone Consolidated Mines Co., which is the property of the same company.

## After Saloons In Capitol City

An ordinance has been introduced in the Phoenix council commanding local saloons to close at midnight and remain closed until 6 o'clock in the morning. This was met by another ordinance, backed by the saloonkeepers themselves, to close at 10 o'clock and not to reopen until 5 o'clock. The matter has not reached the settlement stage as yet.

A Mexican paper is to be started in Douglas. The plant was moved from Cananea.

The Prescott Courier has leased a portion of its building to the Salvation Army and now thinks it is in a position to save its erring republican brethren.

Nogales pays for its street sprinkling water on a meter basis, and the Times says that the hydrant is kept constantly open whether the wagon is filled or not. The man on the water wagon must have a stand in some-where.

Holdup men are again becoming aggressive in Douglas.

M. A. Walters, a Williams man, was killed in a saw mill near that city. He was caught under a rolling log and the life crushed out of him.

A female life insurance agent, possessed of so much magnetism as to be almost irresistible, is making men who don't want insurance hide out in Mesa.

Rafael Frederico, a wanderer, died in the Bales jail, when he had asked permission to enter. Nothing is known of the dead man's antecedent history.

Only one freight train a week is being operated on the Phoenix and Eastern railroad. The curtailment was made necessary by the closing down of the various mines along the route.

Wilmoth Hunsaker, aged 4, of Mesa, fell from a high chair and badly fractured his arm and shoulder bone.

A Yuma man has invented a hay-press attachment which obviates the necessity of the operator forcing hay into the press with his feet.

Five horses in the government camps at Yuma, suffering with glanders, have been ordered killed by the territorial veterinarian.

## Dream of Riches Realized in Arizona

Jan Kubelik, the famous pianist who is making a triumphant tour of the United States, is interested in an Arizona mine near Kingman which promises to make him a modern Midas. Kubelik is at present in Arizona in his private car. Speaking of his mining experience, the famous musician said that when he was in the west a few years ago he met one of his countrymen who had dreamed dreams of wonderful riches buried in the desert. He told Kubelik of untold wealth that only waited to be discovered.

"I asked him," said the violinist, "why he had not sought these treasures."

"I have not the money to pay for the necessary prospecting outfit, much less the food that I would require," was the answer.

"To help the man along I supplied the necessary money to start him out. I wanted no interest in his claims, but he insisted that whatever he found I should have the largest interest in, and further insisted on drawing papers to this effect. The matter has been a jest between my wife and myself."

"The man's dreams have come true, however, and we now find ourselves in the position of having untold wealth. It is a copper claim and the prospects are that Kingman will be a second Butte, Montana."

"Then," continued Kubelik, "when our mine is developed I will leave the old country and go to beautiful southern California to live. No matter how much money we ever have I will never give up my tours. Only old age can ever make me do that."

## Horse Thief Is Landed In Jail

Judge McFarland yesterday issued a warrant for a Mexican named Rodriguez, charged with stealing a horse from John Rock. The Mexican was arrested at Fairbank and brought back today and landed in jail. The Mexican exhibited a remarkable display of monumental nerve in connection with his penchant for horse stealing. Shortly after the animal had been stolen from the Rock stable the Mexican was seen proudly riding the steed in front of Rock's business place, when he was in receipt and made to dismount. The Mexican was profuse in apologies and explanations, and while Mr. Rock stepped into his store to arrange for someone to take the animal back to the stable, the Mexican took advantage of the opportunity and hurriedly mounted again, and was last seen speeding toward Fairbank. He was arrested at that point last night and brought back, while his chances for an enforced stay in durango ville are favorable.

## Former Tombstoner In Bad Repute

The Globe Silver Belt says Frank H. Christy has sold out his general furnishings business in Globe, and he and his wife have left the city. Mr. and Mrs. Christy were formerly residents of Tombstone.

A later issue of the Silver Belt contained the following: "It developed yesterday in legal circles that F. H. Christy, who recently sold out the stock of the Toggery, and left the city unceremoniously, left creditors whose claims aggregated about \$15,000. It is said that he sold a stock actually worth from \$5,000 to \$10,000 for about that many hundreds in cash and left with his wife the following morning for Mexico. An effort may be made to recover the stock by some of the larger creditors."

Former Premier Franco has fled from Portugal and the liberal policy pursued by the new king is restoring quiet.

The cold weather in New York and eastern states is unprecedented, 45 degrees below zero being recorded.

A farmer of New London, Wisconsin, unearthed booty valued at \$30,000, believed to have been cached by robbers years ago.

## Another Ruin at Casa Grande

The Florence Blade says:—Dr. Fewks came up from Casa Grande Saturday and stated he has uncovered another ruin and announced it one of the most interesting ruins yet excavated in the Casa Grande group.

This makes the third compound excavated at the Casa Grande ruins and the indications are that it was the center of one of the largest and most important prehistoric cities on the Pacific coast, or in the United States.

The style of architecture indicates that two different civilizations have existed in this valley in prehistoric times. This tends to confirm the contention that the ancient city of which the Casa Grande ruins was the central and chief building, was first founded by the Toltecs in the latter part of the ninth century and subsequently occupied by their successors in civilization, the Aztecs.

## Ancient Ruins In Cochise County

About 12 miles from Moore's Spout, a well-known shipping point on the E. P. & S. W., about 20 miles east of Douglas, is in the Squaw mountain, in the very heart of the Apache country. There, a few months ago, a party of campers and hunters, one of whom was Miss Sue Greenleaf, the author and collector of historic data, found part of the wall of an old building that evinced great age. Broken pieces of pottery and Indian darts were also found.

The same party will return in June and spend several weeks in the vicinity exploring.

Miss Greenleaf declares that there is much evidence that the ruins have as much as those of Casa Grande, where stand the famous Chohobiltic, or "red house," the first account of which was from Fray Marcos de Niza.

## Sweeping Reduction By Railroad Company

The El Paso News says:—Beginning tomorrow, the rate of pay of all laborers in the motive power and car departments will be 10 cents per hour, says the El Paso News.

A bulletin bearing the above notice was posted in the El Paso & Southern railroad shops in this city yesterday.

The result was that a large force of laborers, upwards of fifty in all, quit their jobs. The men affected by the reduction are mostly Mexicans, though there are a few negroes.

The laborers in the Southwestern shops have been getting from 12 1/2 to 15 cents an hour heretofore, and the reduction in their wages came without warning and as a great shock to them.

It is understood about the Southwestern shops in this city that the working week there is soon to be reduced from six to four days, and, in addition, a number of the highest priced mechanics are to be laid off.

The father of L. A. Scott, the young man who was arrested for stealing \$2,500 worth of diamonds in Tucson, has arrived in the territory, and is trying to effect a compromise of the case.

John Draper, who recently took French leave of Douglas, leaving a long list of creditors, has been rounded up and will be prosecuted.



## From Thursday's Daily.

Pipes of all kinds at Cigar Store, on Allen St. Ole Walker, Mgr. 15 Im Wm Lee is a Tombstone visitor from Charleston.

Cal Bass returned yesterday from a six weeks' vacation in the Chihuahuas.

Attorney Chris Ellerbe, of the law firm of Cunningham, Ellerbe & Riggs, returned this morning from Guaymas, where he was called on legal business.

The Red Men meet this evening at their Wigwam.

County Tax Attorney Silbaugh, has returned from a trip to Douglas.

Attorney Watson has returned to his home in Douglas.

J. A. Rockefeller has returned from a business trip to Benson.

Tomorrow is Arbor Day and has been declared a holiday by the governor, therefore all county offices and banks will be closed.

Mayor C. I. Coven of Bisbee has been appointed pension examining surgeon for Cochise county. The appointment is for the purpose of giving war veterans of this county an opportunity to be examined when making application for pensions.

The condition of Treasurer Gaines is reported much improved, which is pleasing news to his many friends.

## An Exciting Scene On E. P. & S. W.

An exciting scene was enacted at the E. P. & S. W. depot today when a freight car and a passenger coach became detached from the train and locomotive at the "Y" above the city and assumed a get-away-got-of-lightning rapidity as they glided down the heavy grade toward the river.

As it happened, the passenger coach had a few moments the start of the freight car, and Conductor Davey and brakeman Ray found themselves taking a ride at a terrific pace, followed by a racing freight car which was bearing toward them with increasing momentum. In an instant the two veteran railroad men decided upon a plan to avoid a threatening catastrophe by derailing the freight car at a switch below the depot. As the passenger neared the switch, brakeman Ray at imminent risk to his life, sprang from the swiftly-moving coach and unlocked and turned the freight car just in the nick of time, the freight car thundering by and on to the dealer below. The car, after being derailed, sped on for a distance of several hundred feet, plunging up the earth in its ungovernable fury, finally toppling over. The trucks were wrecked from their positions and the car badly damaged. The car was loaded with iron castings and tons of cyanide for the T. C. M. Co., the damage to which has not as yet been ascertained.

The passenger coach was finally brought to a standstill by Conductor Davey several miles out. The railroad men distinguished themselves by their heroic action.

## Remains Are Still a Mystery

The identity of the remains found on the desert near Cache's ranch, in the Huachuclas, an account of which appeared in these columns, has not as yet been established. The officials at Nogales have instituted investigation and are making diligent inquiry. Three holes were found in the skull, showing that a foot murder had been committed. Thirty-five cents was also found in the clothes, but nothing was found to shed light as to the identity of the unfortunate. It is not believed the deceased was connected with the Fairbank mystery, as was at first supposed.

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Sheep sheering has commenced in Yavapai county and a big crop is expected.

The smelter company at Humboldt is settling local bills, including taxes, and preparing to start up at an early date.

Mesa has the finest cauliflower of the season on the market.

## List of Arizona Peace Officers

Sheriff White is the recipient of a neat pamphlet issued by Sheriff Hayden of Maricopa county, which contains a list of all of the peace officers in the various counties and cities of the territory, including the sheriffs, deputies, constables and city marshals. It also contains the roster of the U. S. Marshal's force, the railroad special officers, the names of the Arizona Rangers, the Sanitary and live stock inspectors, the immigration officers, the officials of the Yuma penitentiary, as well as a table showing the amount of "good time" that prisoners are allowed under sentence at Yuma. The pamphlet is a very useful one in the hands of the officers and is similar to the one that is issued annually in California.

Thaw has asked to be relieved from the asylum and his attorneys are taking steps to secure his discharge.

Sleet and snow storms in Chicago continue to delay traffic and cause much suffering.

Five thousand Russian troops have been ordered to the Turko-Persia frontier. The concentration is due to the aggressive attitude of the Turks.

National prohibitionists announce a campaign to make the entire United States dry. A fund of \$10,000 is being subscribed for the attack.

Admiral has been granted to the daughter of Yarnmouth, who is a sister of Harry Thaw.

## Summons

In the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Cochise. The Territory of Arizona, at the request and to the use of J. N. Guana, Treasurer and Receiver General in and for the County of Cochise in the Territory of Arizona.

Plaintiff, George Karasik, Defendant.

Action brought in the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Cochise, and the complaint filed in the said County of Cochise in the office of the clerk of said District Court.

The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to George Karasik. You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff, in the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Cochise, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within twenty days, exclusive of the day of service of the service on you of this summons, of record within the county of Cochise, within thirty days or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Cochise, this 7th day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand, nine hundred and eight.

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